

BOBBY

POETRY
I WONDER.
I wonder if the roses know

grayness of

I wonder if the heart that sings
 knows how the other hearts it wakes
 are happy for the joy it brings
 in what it does for others' sakes.

I wonder if the stars are aware
 of all the sweet content it spills
 Upon the little lives of care
 That catch its beauty on the hills.

I wonder if the flowers feel
 the tender and responsive gleam
 Of love that in the woodland kneels
 To worship at the shrines of dream.

I wonder if all beauty shares
 The knowledge of the good that grows
 From not its own but others' cares.

and responsive
it in the wood

I wonder if all beauty shares
 The knowledge of the good that grow
 From out its all-unconscious sweet—
 The song of bird, the blith of rose,
 Or whether, it is not as when
 Some fire blossoms like a flower,
 Moves faintly mid the yellow-men
 More like a perfume than a power.
 —Baltimore Sun.

THE WIND GHOSTS.

It may be as some Poets say,
 The winds that bluster noisily
 Are spectres of some other day
 Come back in dolorous array

king souls, the

Of ages none forever spent,
 Mourning for the tears united
 To fill our hearts with thoughts of
 dread.

Our eyes with their lament.

At views so gloomy and so grave
 I've neither time nor wish to scoff
 But judged by how those winds be
 have.

If they are ghosts I'll warrant they've
 Come back to "blow us out."
 Ains't not to scorn our cares
 With words of theirs!

HUMOR OF THE DAY

Barber—More soap?
 Patron—Give me a chance to di
 gest this—Life.

May—How did you happen to m
 your train.

Blanche—Oh, the horrid old d
 was right on time.—Judge.

"Have you any references?"
 "Yes, mum; but I left them at
 home."

"I don't do me justice." — Boston Tr
 script.

The young man whispered soft an
 "I was loved and an angel."

Then spake the maid: "I didn't kno
 Ananias had a brother."—Indian
 Apoc. Star.

Wise—I hear you've sold you
 bird dog. He was a good retriever.

thought so,

thing much when I sold him. Philadelphia Record.
 "And you have had the same story for two years."
 "Yes," replied Mr. Crosslots. "She says she doesn't believe in changing after she has gone to the trouble of changing her family her way."
 Washington Star.
 "What funny nicknames the girls in your set have for one another. Why do they call that girl from Chicago 'Buck'?"
 "Because she always acts as if she didn't care a rap what the folks back home want her to do. — Puck.
 He—And what do you want for your birthday?"
 She—Really, I don't want anything. But I know you'll buy me something terribly nice and expensive and new."
 He—You're such a dear, reckless boy. — Princeton.
 "Suppose this country should ever be called on to go to war, what would happen?"
 "I don't know."
 "But aren't you alarmed at it?"
 "Not very. In past performances in the war league this country has perfect record." — Detroit Free Press

THE KALEIDOSCOPE

The best Philippine cigars stay at the Pacific coast.

An average of 50,000 documents assigned by President Wilson each day.

of Labor

his career in the coal mines of Pennsylvania.

During the last year the Navajo Indian blanket industry reached a total of \$750,000.

Since the outbreak of the war 30,000 settlers from the United States have entered Canada.

The number of women employed in Germany increased from January 1, July 1, 1915, by 50,000.

Japan is planning to adopt an alphabet of 47 letters, including most of the Roman characters, some Russian and the rest original symbols.

With a four-horse-power engine motor-driven pump of English invention cuts a six-inch furrow at a speed exceeding three miles an hour.

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discovery of a new and inexpensive disinfectant derived from pure oil.

In the Southern Pacific a large undersea desert was recently discovered. Over its whole area, not a vestige of plant or animal life could be found.

Cellulose from wood fibre is being used for the manufacture of substitute absorbent cotton, which is more absorbent than cotton, and which is relatively scarce because of the war demands.

The annual production of sulphur in the United States has increased from a few more than 3,000 tons more than 330,000 tons in the last dozen years.

A Polish scientist is the inventor of a motion picture camera which can be carried in the hand and which is operated by the compressed air as long

pressed.

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